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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Jeffrey M. BROWN, et al.

Application No.: 10/646,846

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Examiner: Brian P. Yenke

Confirmation No.: 1451

Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MONITORING TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS
USING EMBEDDED TEST SIGNALS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

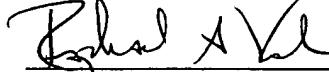
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a three-month extension-of-time, to extend the time for response to the Office Action mailed April 4, 2006.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the extension fee of \$1,020.00 according to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) to Deposit Account No. 50-2036 with reference to Attorney Docket No.: 87326.3920. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-2036.

Respectfully submitted,
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